## 出國報告 美國微生物協會 2015 年會參加心得

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### 摘要

美國微生物學會舉辦的年會,今年是第 115 屆(115th General Meeting of American Society for Microbiology),於 5 月 30 日至 6 月 2 日在美國紐奧良舉行。為期四天的議程中,包含主題豐富的 workshops、專題研討會、論文海報發表及業界廠商展示。專題研討的內容多元,囊括基礎研究、臨床應用甚至是實驗室管理層面:例如微生物病原與宿主交互作用、微生物致病機致、細菌抗藥性機制及現行抗藥性檢測方法的討論、流行病學分析及臨床案例分享、公衛或臨床檢驗實驗室建立等。今年有幸參與這個學術界的年度盛事,以壁報發表本所關於沙門氏菌致病力相關研究,題目是「The Arginine at Residue 7 of FimY is Required for Type 1 Fimbrial Expression in Salmonella enterica Serovar Typhimurium」。與來自世界各地、不同領域的研究者齊聚一堂,分享各自的研究成果,有助開闊研究視野。

# Report on Attendance of the 115<sup>th</sup> General Meeting of American Society for Microbiology

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#### **Abstract**

In 2015, the 115<sup>th</sup> General Meeting of the American Society for Microbiology held at the New Orleans Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, during May 30<sup>th</sup> to June 2<sup>nd</sup>. The four-day meeting showcased the central role of microbes in the biosphere by communicating today's cutting edge science in the diverse areas of microbiology through a wide range of interactive workshops, scientific sessions, poster sessions, and networking events. The scientific sessions provided informative and plentiful issues such as, pathogen-host interactions, diagnostic microbiology, epidemiology, and laboratory establishment for microbial research. It was a pleasure as an attendee of this grand occasion, to present our study of bacterial pathogenicity by poster: The arginine at residue 7 of FimY is required for type 1 fimbrial expression in *Salmonella enterica* serovar Typhimurium. Learning by connecting and discussing with researchers all around the world was the great inspirational experience in this meeting.